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8 **UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT**
9 **SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA**
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11 SAMANTHA LOPEZ, et al.,

12 Plaintiff,

13 vs.

14 COUNTY OF SAN DIEGO, et al.,

15 Defendant.
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CASE NO. 07cv2028-JLS (WMc)

ORDER FOLLOWING EARLY
NEUTRAL EVALUATION
CONFERENCE, SETTING RULE 26
COMPLIANCE AND NOTICE OF
CASE MANAGEMENT
CONFERENCE

17 On June 25, 2008, the Court convened an Early Neutral Evaluation Conference in the
18 above entitled action. Appearing for Plaintiff were Victor Torres, Esq. and Ezekiel Cortez, Esq.
19 Appearing for Defendant were David Axtmann, Esq. Also appearing was Defendant's representative
20 Mary Ann Wiggs.

21 Settlement could not be reached in the case at this time.

22 The Court discussed compliance with Fed. R. Civ. P. 26 and based thereon, issues the
23 following orders:

- 24 1. The Rule 26(f) conference shall be completed before *July 18, 2008*;
- 25 2. A joint discovery plan shall be lodged with Magistrate Judge McCurine, Jr. on or
26 before *July 28, 2008*. Regarding each witness, the discovery plan will include the
27 name, most current address, most current phone number, and a brief description of the
28 subject matter of his/her testimony. The discovery plan will also include the

1 anticipated dates for the completion of both non-expert discovery and expert
2 discovery; and,


3 3. The date of initial disclosure pursuant to Rule 26(a)(1)(A-D) shall occur before *August*
4 *15, 2008*;

5 4. Counsel and parties with full settlement authority are ordered to appear *on August 11,*
6 *2008 at 9:30 a.m.* in the chambers of United States Magistrate Judge William
7 McCurine, Jr., 940 Front Street, Courtroom C, San Diego, California, 92101, for a
8 Case Management Conference pursuant to Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 16(b). **Full**
9 **authority to settle means that the individual present at the settlement conference**
10 **has the unfettered discretion and authority to: 1) fully explore settlement options**
11 **and to agree at that time to any settlement options; 2) agree at that time to any**
12 **settlement terms acceptable to the parties; 3) change the settlement position of a**
13 **party; and 4) negotiate monetary awards without being restricted to a specific**
14 **sum certain.**

15 Failure of any counsel or party to comply with this Order will result in the imposition of
16 sanctions.

17 IT IS SO ORDERED.

18 DATED: June 25, 2008

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20 Hon. William McCurine, Jr.
21 U.S. Magistrate Judge
22 United States District Court
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